

# THE HONDO ANVIL HERALD.

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## SCHOOL CLOSED WEDNESDAY

### Commencement Exercises Were Witnessed by a Big Crowd

Hondo High School closed Wednesday after a successful term of eight months. There were five graduates and nearly all of the pupils in the school were promoted.

M. K. Fred, pastor of the local Methodist church, preached the commencement sermon Sunday at 11 o'clock at the Methodist church to a large and attentive audience.

On Tuesday night, the play, "A Doctor's Duty," was given at the auditorium by pupils of the High School.

The crowning event, however, was the graduation exercises which took place at the Auditorium Wednesday night. The curtain lifted at 8:30 on a beautifully decorated stage graced by five young graduates, members of the school faculty, Board of Trustees, and Rev. F. G. Moses.

The invocation was given by the Rev. F. G. Moses. Miss Mabel Hollister, "Hondo High School's young graduate," followed with the "Class History." Miss Eulah Cameron read the "Class Poem." Miss Grace proclaimed the "Class Prophecy" and Louis T. Brucks pronounced the "Valedictory." All acquitted themselves well and made many happy hits.

The work showed careful preparation and natural ability. Mr. H. E. Haass, as President of the Board of Trustees, after a few appropriate remarks, presented the seven members of the class with their diplomas.

There was furnished by several of the pupils who are good performers on piano, and a number of choruses of boys and girls was well rendered.

Mr. F. G. Moses pronounced the session of the 1912-1913 session of the Hondo High School and its commencement passed into history.

The Alpha Beta and the R. E. Lee societies held a joint meeting Friday afternoon at the school house. The Alpha Beta, Vice-President of the Alpha Beta, presiding.

The societies sang "Down by the Mill Stream," which was followed by an interesting reading by Nanna Abbie Bradley and Corinne. Each sang a solo which were well rendered and responded to.

A debate, "Resolved, That Public Series have been more beneficial to the masses than Colleges," was argued. Rogers and Jennie Mae Dowdy were on the affirmative side and Nettie and Ralph Windrow on the negative. The judges decided in favor of the affirmative.

"Darling I am growing old," was sung by the societies. Albertina Horn entertained the societies with a beautiful recitation. "Sleep, Kentucky," was then sung. A dialogue was rendered by Leila Laughinghouse and Bessie Brucks. A select reading was read by Goldie Hurt, and America was sung. Hazel Heath and Eulah Cameron recited and the study play was then taken up.

Mrs. Garwood presented the following to the Officers and Members of the Alpha Beta Society:

"On behalf of the Hondo Mothers' Society I wish to extend to the officers and members of the Alpha Beta Society our heartiest thanks for the sum of \$1.10 which was given us by that society. We not only appreciate the money, but the thoughtfulness in manner in which it was given wins the most gracious approval."

"May the Alpha Beta Society of Hondo High School live long and may success crown the efforts of its members in all their future undertakings."

Respectfully submitted by Mrs. E. G. GARWOOD, for Hondo Mothers' Club.

REPORTER.

Weather Report.

At Hondo, Texas, for April, 1913.

Total rain-fall 0.95 inch. Since Jan. 1, 1913, 1.87 inches.

Temperature, highest 90 degrees on April 25th, lowest 38 degrees on 25th.

H. E. HAASS, U. S. Vol. Observer, Hondo, Texas.

## Lacoste Laconics.

A large crowd from here attended a dance at a Castroville Wednesday night and reported a fine time. Lack of space prevents me from mentioning all who went.

Mrs. Lina Reicherzer and children were visitors in Castroville Thursday.

Messrs. Hy. Haass and Gus Koenig transacted business in San Antonio Wednesday.

Mrs. J. L. Mangold and Alfred Mangold spent a few days with relatives in San Antonio this week, visiting Mrs. Theresa Mangold at the Baylor Hospital.

Last Wednesday the dedication of the Lacoste Catholic School and the parochial residence was celebrated by a solemn High Mass in St. Maay's church. About eight priests from different places were there to help make the event a success. The school opened Monday, April 28.

Mrs. Ernest Thorp and Miss Ina Loesberg were passengers to San Antonio Saturday to attend the Carnival.

Mr. Paul Tondre of Castroville was noticed on our streets this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Hy. Jungmann, Mr. Nic. Jungmann and wife of Macdona and Mr. Aug. Batot and wife of Del Rio and Wm. Deckert and wife of San Antonio visited relatives here Saturday.

T. Haby and family of Riomedina spent Saturday and Sunday with E. W. Tschirhart and wife of this place.

Mrs. Otto Jungmann and Elenora Mangold made a flying trip to Castroville Saturday night.

W. A. Luckenbach and W. Reicherzer were Carnival visitors this week.

Mr. Ferdie Koch has resigned his position as freight clerk at the depot here.

Mr. R. M. Turner returned from San Antonio and is back in his office again after a lengthy stay there to give his eyes medical attention. Mr. J. C. Hopkins of Waelder had charge of the office during Mr. Turner's absence.

Mr. Enderle of D'Hanis paid a visit to his brother-in-law, Mr. Ernest Thorp, this week.

Mr. George Schuehle transacted business in San Antonio Saturday, returning Monday.

Mr. Tony Kilhorn made his usual trip to Castroville Sunday.

Mr. L. A. Koontz and children and Miss Lorine Pinn and Prof. H. S. Roller autoed to Castroville Saturday on professional business.

Miss Meda Boehme spent several days this week with relatives at Riomedina.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Drotcourt were business visitors to the Alamo City Monday.

Otto Jungmann and wife visited the new town of Natalia Sunday.

Miss Meda Bippert spent Sunday with relatives here, returning Monday.

Messrs. O. H. Miller, George Schuehle, F. R. Dickey and Mr. Rothe made a business trip to Lytle Sunday.

Misses Meda and Alma Bippert and Messrs. R. J. Mangold and Hy. Franger spent Sunday evening with Misses Martha and Hettie Bippert at the Sauz.

Mr. W. W. Wernette of Castroville was here Sunday and favored his friends with a fine car ride.

Mr. J. L. Mangold and sisters, Misses Regina and Ella, spent Sunday in San Antonio with their mother at the Baylor Hospital.

Miss Meda Boehme was a Carnival visitor the latter part of the week.

## ENTERTAINMENT NEAR BIRY

### Biry School Closed Friday With Grand Entertainment

The Biry School, of which Miss Lala Bridge was teacher, closed Friday, April 25, 1913, with quite an interesting concert. Following is the program:

Welcome, by Alice Bilhartz, Raymond Blackburn, Virginia Wernette, Elbert Watson, Goldie Bilhartz, Lee Wernette and Gladys Godden.

Lucile's Wish, a recitation, Goldie Bilhartz.

Rise Up, song, by whole school.

Little One's Report, by Ralph Bilhartz, Carlin Bendele, Leonard Wernette, Dovie Watson, Vincent Haass, Florence Heath, Clarence Wernette and Leona Love.

Stolen Cat, a dialogue, by Virginia Wernette, Alice Bilhartz, Raymond Blackburn, Aaron Bilhartz, Lee Wernette and Elbert Watson.

Flag Drill, by twelve boys, Carl Posch, Ralph Bilhartz, Clarence Wernette, Erwin Hartung, Walter Eichhorn, Vincent Haass, Elbert Watson, Lee Beeson, Amzie Godden, Lee Wernette, Aaron Bilhartz and Raymond Blackburn.

The Funny Little Girl, a recitation by Gladys Godden.

Days of the Week, by Alice Bilhartz, Virginia Wernette, Georgia Schmidt, Sylvia Bilhartz, Eva Anderson, Carrie Bilhartz and Nora Beeson.

Violet Drill, by twelve girls, Eva and Nora Beeson, Miss Lala Bridge, Laura, Sylvia, Irene and Carrie Bilhartz, Bettie and Georgia Schmidt, Ettie and Nettie Blackburn and Eva Anderson.

I Wish I was a Grown-up, a recitation, by Raymond Blackburn.

Dolly Show, by seven girls and two boys, Alice and Goldie Bilhartz, Gladys Godden, Virginia Wernette, Leona Love, Carlin Bendele, Florence Heath, Vincent Haass and Raymond Blackburn.

The Grizzly Bear, a recitation by Eva Anderson.

Pantomime, by four girls, Carrie Bilhartz, Sylvia Bilhartz, Nora Beeson and Georgia Schmidt.

Polly-Rose, recitation, by Virginia Wernette.

Indian Drill, by Earl Heath, Ralph Bilhartz, Vincent Haass, Raymond Blackburn, Erwin Hartung, Elbert Watson, Aaron Bilhartz, Lee Wernette, Carl Posch, Walter Eichhorn, and Oscar Bilhartz as "Old John Brown".

Drunkard's family, dialogue, by Eva Anderson, Aaron Bilhartz, Alice Bilhartz and Raymond Blackburn.

The Lost Baby, recitation, by Georgia Schmidt.

Dolly Drill, by Sylvia and Carrie Bilhartz, Virginia Wernette, Carlin Bendele, Goldie Bilhartz, Georgia Schmidt, Eva Anderson, Florence Heath, Gladys Godden and Alice Bilhartz.

Cy and I, recitation, Mrs. Mary Biry.

Rigamaree, dialogue, by Eva Anderson, Georgia Schmidt, Carrie Bilhartz, Aaron Bilhartz and Elbert Watson.

Tea Party, dialogue, by Goldie Bilhartz and Gladys Godden.

Waiting For The Train, recitation by Alice Bilhartz.

Mother Goose's Entertainment, by entire school.

## Tarpley Tidings.

Roth School, Dist. No. 27, closed Friday, April 25, after a very successful term under the able management of Miss Augerina Travis, and everybody, old and young, is sorry to see her go back to her home at San Marcos. We hope she will come back and teach the next term of school for us.

Julius and Otto Marquis went to Hondo one day this week, so did Ernst Pressler.

Mr. Willie Sprott says it takes lots of work and time and money and trouble to get married. Willie is now building a nice house and when it is completed he says he wants somebody to live in said house with him.

The Upper Hondo Shooting Club had a picnic and prize shoot last Sunday. A good time was had by everybody. The inner man was well taken care of as both solid and liquid refreshments were served.

Misses Frieda and Emma Scheile returned home Friday from a lengthy stay at Comfort.

Mr. Louis Sprott is sporting a new buggy and, for fear that his horse might run away with it and break it, he pulls it himself.

A light shower of rain fell here one day last week, followed by a cold norther, the mercury dropping to 36 on Friday morning.

The Upper Hondo Literary Society had one of its interesting meetings again last Saturday night.

The young people started out, Saturday night to have a moonlight picnic. They left at 7 o'clock and hunted for the moon until about 1 o'clock and then came straggling back home! Hope they had a nice time.

Rev. B. L. Hancock and daughter, Cora, went to Hondo Monday to consult a specialist as both are afflicted with eye trouble.

Otto Sprott came home Sunday from a shopping trip to Hondo.

Rev. B. L. Hancock invested in some fine stock some time ago, having bought a Percheron stallion and a Tennessee jack costing \$800 and \$1200 respectively. Everyone who has seen them pronounces them the best stock ever brought to this country.

Mr. Street Hudspeth is building a new house on his ranch and will soon be a citizen of Medina Co.

Mr. Howard Hay returned one day last week from out west where he had been prospecting.

Miss Linnie Marquis looks very homesick of late. What's the matter Linnie?

Some sections up here were visited by frost last week while other sections were not hurt.

Mr. Rose and Thos. Saathoff came up last Saturday night and remained till Sunday night, making life miserable for the girls (as one of them said).

Miss Travis, the teacher of Dist. 27, left for her home Tuesday.

The tariff discussion in Congress has our sheep and goat men badly scared. They are talking of going out of business. Don't worry, boys, everything will be alright.

Notice To Farmers.

I am prepared to bale all kinds of hay with my new baler, very reasonably. Give me a trial and be convinced.

JOHN DROTICOURT, Castroville, Texas.

Lost.

Two head of cattle, a four-year old roan cow and a light red yearling heifer. Both are branded A-bar, on left hip. Information leading to their recovery will be reasonably rewarded.

Gus H. Wiemers.

## ODD FELLOWS CELEBRATION

### Local Lodge Royally Entertained Last Saturday Night

About three hundred men, women and children assembled at the Auditorium Saturday evening where the 94th anniversary of the founding of the I. O. O. F. was befittingly celebrated. Members of the local lodge and visiting members from Sabinal lodge wore their regalia and made a good showing.

The meeting was called to order by Noble Grand, R. P. Thomas, and after an invocation by Rev. F. G. Moses, District Deputy Grand Master, A. H. Hargrave, delivered a masterly address of welcome. This was responded to by Paul Johnson, Noble Grand of the Sabinal lodge, in a most happy manner. The address of the Evening was delivered by Rev. M. K. Fred and his masterly reading of the poem, "Let me live in a house by the side of the road and be a friend to man", portraying the beauties of fraternalism, made a profound impression. Mrs. E. Brunt of Sabinal then made a brief address on the Rebekahs after which luncheon was announced.

Luncheon was served in two courses, the first being sandwiches, pickles, olives and ice tea and the second cake and punch. The luncheon was served to the audience at their seats and some of the local Odd Fellows covered themselves with glory—and victuals—as waiters. After the inner man had been refreshed and satisfied there was left plenty and to spare of the various good things to eat and drink.

After the luncheon, Toastmaster Thomas again called the assemblage to order and called for toasts from several local and visiting members of the order. Messrs. Durham of Sabinal, Davis, Colecott of Sabinal, Saathoff, and E. Brunt of Sabinal responded. To this infliction the audience submitted with becoming fortitude—being too full of punch to protest!

The Hondo Orchestra furnished music throughout the evening and added very materially to the pleasures of the entertainment. A solo by Miss Abbie Bradley made a decided hit and was loudly encored.

It was well past eleven o'clock before the meeting adjourned and all departed for their homes well pleased with the evening and after having received a most cordial invitation from the Sabinal visitors to attend a similar meeting at that place tonight.

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of unimproved land, 15 miles southwest of Hondo, on Squirrel Creek, black sandy soil. Price \$6.00 per acre, half cash and balance in one and two years.

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SAT., MAY 10

HONDO

VS.

D'HANIS

At Miller's Park!

Admission.....25c

Seats in the Grand Stand Free!

There will be a match

GAME OF

BASE

BALL

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## Alumni Entertainment.

On Monday evening, April 28th, the handsome new home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Short presented a bright and attractive scene. It was the occasion of the reception given by the Alumni of the Hondo High School to the Board of Trustees, faculty and graduates of 1913.

Flowers and graceful pennants adorned the double parlors.

Each guest gave a favorite "stunt", a climax of fun being reached in a duet of social cups by Messrs. Short and King in which the participants seemed to enjoy themselves thoroughly and the guests knew it to be a fore-shadowing of good things to come.

Around the punch bowl the following toasts were sung:

Come fill up your glasses and let's have some toast,

We'll drink to the health of the hostess and host.

Fill up your glasses with good things of all sorts

And drink to the health of our good friends, the Shorts.

Here's to the health of the Hondo school,

Fill up your glasses with punch that's ice cool.

Good Board of Trustees we'll drink to your health,

To salaries of teachers devote all your wealth.

Fill up your glasses and lift them on high

And drink to the health of our fine Alumni.

All fill up your glasses and let's have some fun,

And drink to the health of everyone.

For Sale.- Dry mesquite stove wood.

Ring telephone 27-5r for prompt delivery. J. D. Hueschen. 3mo.

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## AUDITORIUM

### BIG DANCE! SKATING!

SATURDAY, MAY 10th

ALMOST

Any Night

I have decided to let the Ladies SKATE FREE and while this lasts I hope they will all take advantage of this opportunity to enjoy the pleasure that good skates and a fine floor affords.

By all means, come out and try it Saturday. Skating will last until Midnight—COME EARLY.

This is now the largest and best dancing floor in this county and we are going to have the largest and best dances in the county.

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## Riomedina Bubbles.

BY NEWS GATHERER

EDITOR ANVIL HERALD:—

A good shower of rain fell here yesterday, which was of some benefit to the farmers. This morning a brisk norther is blowing and prospects for rain, which is badly needed, are poor.

Mr. F. P. Seekatz and Mrs. Jos. Spettel, delegates of Herman Sors' Lodge, are in Austin attending a convention which is being held there.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Boehme and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boehme were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerhart Ihnken, of the Chicon, last Sunday.

Mr. Adolph Wurzbach was transacting business at Lacoste one day this week.

pleasant hop was given at the Mayflower hall Saturday night which was highly enjoyed by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Wurzbach and children spent Sunday with relatives at Quihi.

Henry Boehme was a Lacoste visitor one day this week.

Wm. Eckhart and family were shopping here this week.

Misses Elsie Haby and Roxie Petty paid a short visit here this week.

Mr. Pichot of Hondo attended the dance here Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haby of Biry were visiting homefolks here this week.

Mrs. Ed Seekatz and son, Alton, spent a few days with relatives on the Chicon this week.

Mrs. Max Boehme paid a visit to Cliff Monday.

Mr. Titus Haby and family of Gallagher's ranch passed through here Monday enroute to Castroville.

Paul Jungmann of Lacoste was transacting business here Thursday.

Miss Meda Boehme of Lacoste is visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Louis Wurzbach and daughter, Miss Hulda, paid a visit to Mr. and Mrs. John Schuehle at Quihi Thursday.

Riomedina, Apr. 24, 1913.

## For the Weak and Nervous.

Tired-out, weak, nervous men and women would feel ambitious, energetic, full of life and always have a good appetite, if they would take the sensible thing for health—take Electric Bitters. Nothing better for the stomach, liver or kidneys. Thousands say they owe their lives to this wonderful home remedy. Mrs. O. Rhinevault, of Vestal Centre, N. Y., says: "I regard Electric Bitters as one of the greatest of gifts. I can never forget what it has done for me." Get a bottle yourself and see what a difference it will make in your health. Only 50c and \$1.00. Recommended by W. H. Windrow.

## Lover's Unique Devotion.

An unusual manner in which a lover's devotion was shown occurred at Zurich, Switzerland, recently. A cobbler, whose sweetheart died, apprenticed himself to a stone-cutter in order to execute a fitting tribute to her memory, and after fourteen months he was able to carve a beautiful rose on a marble slab and write beneath: "Such was She." After it had been erected over her grave he returned to his first trade, and now repairs shoes as before.

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## From "Old Siwash."

"We are more frivolous in our college life than in our business," George Fitch said. "Still, college life has made business what it is. Fraternities are a clearinghouse for ability and ambition."—Kansas City Star.

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## A Royal Baking Powder Hot Biscuit is the luxury of eating

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## After Close Of School.

What shall I do with son and daughter after close of school? This question confronts many parents at this season of the year. We all concede that it is better to keep young people busy. Many times they are not qualified to be really useful in store and office, and they are usually not old and strong enough to do a man's work on the farm. It is then largely a matter of choosing between sending them to a summer school or letting them loiter about town. Surely this is the time to consider a business education of Bookkeeping, Banking, Shorthand and Typewriting.

The cost is small—around \$50 for a single course of Bookkeeping and Banking or Shorthand and Typewriting, and around \$85 for the two courses combined.

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## Biliousness and Constipation.

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## Young Man Must Have Friends.

For boys and young men friendship is a prime necessity of existence. When a man has established himself in life and the interests of home and wife and family have absorbed him, he may, perhaps, dispense with friendship. But as long as he is young, unmarried and unsettled, he is as dependent on friendship as on air or food.

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## D'HANIS DOINGS.

### Items of Interest Culled or Condensed from The D'Hanis News.

Joe Langfeld left Thursday for Ft. Worth where he will help to arrange matters satisfactory and get things in shape to complete the central agency of "From the Farmers to the Consumers". This agency is to be inaugurated in the near future, so as to solve the problem of the high cost of living.

Misses Agnes Sauter, Bessie Carle, Etta Ney, Ernestina Nester, Hulda and Ella Nester and Jane Enderle went to San Antonio Tuesday to attend the Fiesta.

Mrs. Frank Kimmerly returned to her home in Kingsville Wednesday after a two weeks' visit to home folks. Miss Alice Gibson of San Antonio was here this week on a visit to relatives and friends.

Messrs. Andrew Gutenberger, Jacob Reily, John Reiber and Ed Nester went to San Antonio Tuesday.

Miss Lottie Luckenbach and Mrs. Chas. Boog left Sunday for Austin to attend the Hermann Sons' convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reinhart were in San Antonio to attend the Fiesta.

Miss Alma Boog went to San Antonio Sunday morning to attend the carnival.

F. J. Carle went to San Antonio Sunday evening on a business trip.

Alf. Finger went to San Antonio Tuesday to enjoy the Fiesta San Jacinto.

Frank Finger went to attend the carnival at San Antonio Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Zinsmeyer went to San Antonio Tuesday.

Mrs. Jake Koch Sr. and daughter, Sophie, went to the Alamo City to attend the Fiesta Tuesday.

Mrs. John Batot, Miss Florence Parish and Joe Sauter went to San Antonio Wednesday.

Joe Haby went to Castroville Sunday to visit relatives.

Hy. Lutz and Miss Elsa Lutz went to San Antonio Thursday morning.

Hy. Wernette left for Ft. Worth to attend the meeting of organization of Central Agency Farmers to Consumers.

Mrs. Regina Johnston left Monday for San Antonio.

Mrs. Gertrude Sauter went to San Antonio Monday to attend the carnival.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wallrath went to San Antonio Monday.

Mrs. Theresa Ney left for Castroville Saturday to visit relatives.

Louis Carle Jr., W. C. Nagel, Fred Carle and Talmadge Williams went to San Antonio Sunday.

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## Ma's Way.

Little Lola, aged five, upon being shown her twin brothers that had arrived the night before, said: "Well, I never saw such a woman as mamma is for hunting up bargains."—Chicago Daily News.

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## CASTROVILLE Anvil Sparks.

This Department is in charge of our Authorized Agent for Castroville, ED H. HUEHNER, Editor who is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper and to whom items intended for this page should be submitted.—Editor.

Messrs. F. P. Seekatz and Frank Tondre Jr. attended the meeting of the grand lodge O. D. H. S. at Austin the first of the week as delegates from Fernando Lodge No. 71.

Jose Wernette of San Antonio paid a visit to relatives and friends here last Sunday. He was accompanied home by his father, Col. John B. Wernette.

A light rain visited this section Wednesday morning.

F. S. Smith, representing the San Antonio Light, was a Castroville business visitor Thursday.

The dance given by Theo. Artzt at Wernette's opera house on Wednesday night was well attended and very much enjoyed.

Jacob Breiten of the Dunlay neighborhood was in town Friday and reported that Jack Frost had visited his section and did considerable damage to corn, while it did not injure cotton or cane.

Messrs. Louis Scherrer and Frank Wurzbach were San Antonio visitors Saturday.

**This Interests Every Woman.**

A family doctor said recently that women come to him thinking that they have female trouble, but when he treats them for their kidneys and bladder, they soon recover. This is worth knowing, and also that Foley Kidney Pills are the best and safest medicine at such times. You cannot get better, purer medicine for backache, weary dragged out feeling, aching joints, irregular kidney and bladder action and nervousness due to kidney troubles. Try them. They are tonic in action, quick in results. W. H. Windrow.

**Muddled.**

The lecturer arose and said impressively: "Every time I see a young man coming out of a saloon, I want to go right up to that young man and say, 'Turn right around, young man; you're going the wrong way.'"—New York Mail.

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**What the Eyebrows Tell Us.**

There is more character in the eyebrows than one would suppose. If they are very much arched, they denote a weak, changeable nature. Eyebrows that meet signify bad temper and a jealous disposition; but, if there is a good wide space between them, their owner is probably very unselfish and good tempered. If they are darker than the hair, their owner will be passionate but inconsistent in love; if lighter, they reveal a weak disposition.

**Eyes Sunken With Pain.**

Three years ago I had a very bad spell of neuralgia which caused my eyes to become sunken and bloodshot with pain. Hunt's Lightning Oil was recommended and after using, the pain left and has not returned, says A. M. Coffey, 316 Van Buren street, Litchfield, Ill. This wonderful medicine is sold by all druggists everywhere.

**Cheerful Men Succeed.**

The men whom I have seen succeed best in life have been cheerful and hopeful men, who went about their business with a smile on their faces, and took the changes of this mortal life like men, facing rough and smooth alike as it came.—Charles Kingsley.

**Not Fit for Ladies.**

Public sentiment should be against it, and we believe it is, there can be no reason why ladies should have to suffer with headaches and neuralgia, especially when Hunt's Lightning Oil gives such prompt relief. It is simply a question of getting the ladies to try it. All druggists sell Hunt's Lightning Oil in 25c and 50c bottles.

**Dilemma.**

Pa—"So you want to marry my daughter. Are you in a position to support a family?" Sutor—"Er—how many of you are there?"

**What a Baptist Preacher Did.**

This is to certify that I have used one box of Hunt's Cure for a Skin trouble and same cured me after using about \$8.00 worth of other ointments and salves. Nothing like Hunt's Cure for Skin troubles. Rev. H. T. Sizemore, Hemphill, Texas.

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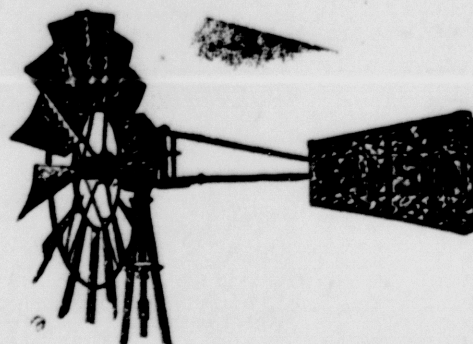
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#### Bader Settlement Dots.

BY BOOBY.

ED. ANVIL HERALD:—

Ed Riff and sister, Miss Rose, were visitors at Sturm Hill Sunday.

John Hutzler and family paid a visit to homefolks at Spindletop Saturday and Sunday.

Jac. Hutzler and family were visiting at Jos. Riff's Sunday night.

Wm. Reitzer and family paid a visit to Black Creek Sunday.

Ad. Biediger and family visited homefolks at Spindletop Sunday.

Mrs. Jos. A. Riff and smaller children visited Mr. and Mrs. Nic Hutzler Sunday afternoon.

Wm. Burger and family paid a short visit to homefolks here Sunday.

Miss Alice Naegelin and Miss Burkhardt of Castroville visited relatives and friends here a few days last week.

Messrs. Paul Oefinger, E. W. Balzen, H. G. Boehle, G. L. Boehle, and E. J. Oefinger passed through here with a bunch of cattle for the San Antonio market.

Misses Rose and Emma Riff were shopping at Quini Friday.

April 30, 1913.

#### Now Paint.

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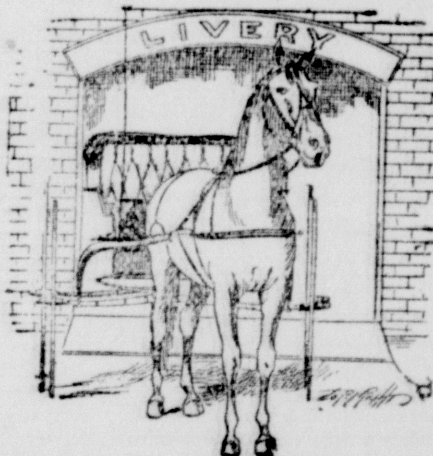
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#### District Court.

The spring term of district court convened here Monday with the following officers present: Hon. R. H. Burney, Judge; L. J. Brucks, Attorney; Aug. Kempf, Clerk; and J. F. Bader, Sheriff.

The following grand jury was empaneled for the term: Paul Reinhart, Arnold Rothe, R. N. Teel, H. G. Wilson, D. W. Short, Chas. Godden, Fritz Rothe Jr., R. S. Howard, Jack Fusselman, Andrew Schuehle, L. A. Haby and Warren Lilly. Paul Reinhart was appointed foreman.

The following bailiffs were appointed to wait on the grand jury: Albert Pichot, Henry Moore, Adolph Haass, Emil Roehle, Alfred Bader and Joe Cude.

The Criminal Docket was set for Monday, May 5th.

C. Santoy vs. Julia G. de Santoy, divorce, dismissed at cost of plaintiff.

State vs. Fannie Sparks and State vs. Bert Sanford, defaulting witnesses, were continued for service.

On April 29th, the following petit jury for the first week of the term was empaneled: Henry Ney, L. J. Schmidt, Alfred Nester, Jos. Franger, Henry Rothe Jr., Albert Innken, Albert Neumann, Aug. Gerdes, Andrew Lindsey, Adolph Haby, L. A. Neuman, J. E. Burgin, Peter Koch Jr., Willie McLaugherty, Ignatz Deckert, Louis Carle, Schweers Saathoff, John Muenink, C. J. Oefinger, Jacob Bilharz, Emil Biry, Charles Metzger, George Bohmfalk and Fritz Muenink.

On April 30th, the grand jury returned into open court the following indictments: State vs. Felipe Garza, burglary; State vs. Felipe Garza, theft of a horse; State vs. Guy Edwards, theft of a horse; State vs. assault to murder.

John Reinhart and wife vs. E. H. Crockett, et al, trespass to try title, John Reinhart and wife vs. John F. Huttner, et al, trespass to try title, were continued to perfect service.

J. F. Burns vs. Ed Fenneman, et al, suit on notes, plaintiff takes a non-suit.

Fullerton & Simpson vs. J. F. Burns, suit on note, passed for settlement.

N. J. Briscoe vs. Mary A. Briscoe, suit for divorce, plaintiff takes a non-suit.

The petit jury for the first week was discharged Thursday afternoon.

Albert Reitzer, Joseph Haegelin, S. Tschirhart, Leopold Haby, Louis Schorp et al, T. A. Haby, F. P. Seekatz and Theresa Spette, et al, vs. The Medina Valley Irrigation Co., et als, were all continued for reasons on file.

Remigga Ferretti vs. Manuela Ferretti, divorce, granted.

W. H. Smith vs. Ethel M. Smith, divorce. Divorce granted and custody of child given plaintiff.

Ex parte Myrtle Longley, application for removal of disabilities of a minor, judgment as prayed for.

Julia Katie Ward vs. P. S. Ward, divorce. Divorce granted and maiden name restored.

In the suit of Brazoria Co. vs. Louis Rothe, et al, trespass to try title, was heard without a jury and the court being of the opinion that the law is with the defendants found that the Defendants are entitled to recover the two leagues and labors of land in controversy.

The grand jury on May 1st returned a bill of indictment, State vs. ——— for carrying a pistol.

On May 2nd they returned the following: State vs. ———, unlawfully selling mortgaged property. State vs. ———, seduction.

The grand jury was discharged yesterday afternoon.

#### Frank Benke Killed.

From a private letter we glean the following sad particulars:

About 3:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Alex Boehme were on the way to San Antonio to the carnival. When they passed Benke's field a little boy stopped them and told them his brother, Frank Benke, aged 17 years, was plowing and had a 32 target rifle on the plow. The mules became unmanageable, the reins tangled around the gun which went off, the bullet striking him and passing through his left lung and slightly grazing his heart. This happened just about three minutes before they reached there. They took him home, got an older brother and hurried to the Santa Rosa hospital in San Antonio. The doctor could do but little and at 8 p. m. Sunday he died. His mother and brother, Alfred, were with him at the hospital. The remains were taken out Monday and interred Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock in the family burial ground.

#### Land For Sale.

A 152-acre farm, 24 miles south-east of Sandia in Jim Wells county, three-room house, barn, well and wind mill, black sandy soil, 60 acres in cultivation, 90 acres in pasture. Price \$55.00 per acre, \$5849.75 cash, balance in four years at 6 per cent. Apply to HONDO LAND CO.

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F. H. Seeley of Chicago and Philadelphia, the noted truss expert, will be at the St. Anthony hotel and will remain in San Antonio this entire coming week from Monday until Saturday, inclusive, May 5th to 10th. Mr. Seeley says: "The Spermatic Shield Truss as now used and approved by the United States Government will not only retain any case of rupture perfectly, affording immediate and complete relief, but closes the opening in 10 days on the average case. This instrument received the only award in England and in Spain, producing results without surgery, harmful injections, treatments or prescriptions." Mr. Seeley has documents from the United States Government, Washington, D. C., for inspection. Prices, \$5.00 to \$25.00. All charity cases without charge, or if any interested call he will be glad to show the truss without charge or fit them if desired. Any one ruptured should remember the date and take advantage of this opportunity.

#### M. A. Chancey Postmaster.

Advices from Congressman Garner Saturday were to the effect that he had endorsed M. A. Chancey for the position of Postmaster of Hondo under the Democratic administration. As Mr. Chancey has the support of Senator Culberson, his confirmation is practically assured and he will be our postmaster. The Anvil Herald congratulates Mr. Chancey on his good fortune and wishes him such a successful administration of the affairs of his office as to vindicate the wisdom of his selection by Judge Garner. He will take charge of the office as soon as his commission is received which is not yet definitely known.

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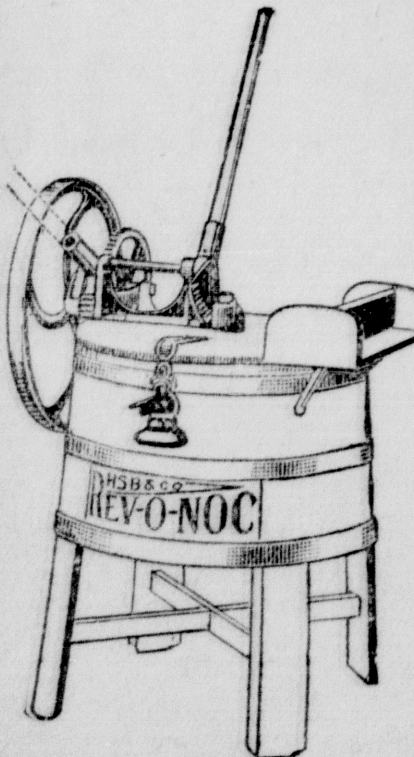
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D. M. Ferry's garden seed for sale at F. A. Heyen's.

Miss Laura Prince of D'Hanis spent Sunday with Miss Maude Allen.

Go to E. R. Leinweber with your vehicle wants. He can supply you.

For Sale, Cane seed at \$1.00 per bushel. Apply to John E. Neumann.

A marriage license was issued this week to Willie Fulfer and Miss Ora Coops.

Miss Frances Schmitt of Castroville is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Jungman.

Don't forget about the dance at the Auditorium, Saturday, May 10th, Theo. Artzt's Orchestra.

Miss Esta Koch of New Fountain spent this week with Miss Jane Behn-falk on the lower Hondo.

Now, don't forget the date of the grand ball at Wernette's opera house Monday night, May 12, 1913.

Parties desiring to take boarders during the Summer Normal are requested to notify Prof. W. N. Saathoff at once.

A three days' Race meet will be held at the Castroville race track on May 12, 13 and 14, 1913. Come one, come all.

Eugen Huesser, the J. I. Case agent, has sold a large steam traction engine to R. Schwarz to be used in drilling wells.

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All kinds of souvenir post cards at F. A. Heyen's.

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Mrs. G. W. Bennett came out Thursday from San Antonio on a visit to relatives.

Fall in line with the crowds and attend the grand ball at Wernette's opera house on the night of May 12, 1913.

Come to the Hondo Auditorium Saturday night, May 10th, for the big dance—Theo. Artzt will furnish the music.

For good blacksmithing try J. H. Meyers. tf.

All kinds of nuts at Hutzler's confectionery.

Miss Alice Newton was a visitor to San Antonio Thursday.

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County Surveyor H. V. Haass was here this week from Castroville on official business.

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Monroe Taylor spent Sunday in San Antonio, the guest of his brother, Oscar, at the Marshall Training School.

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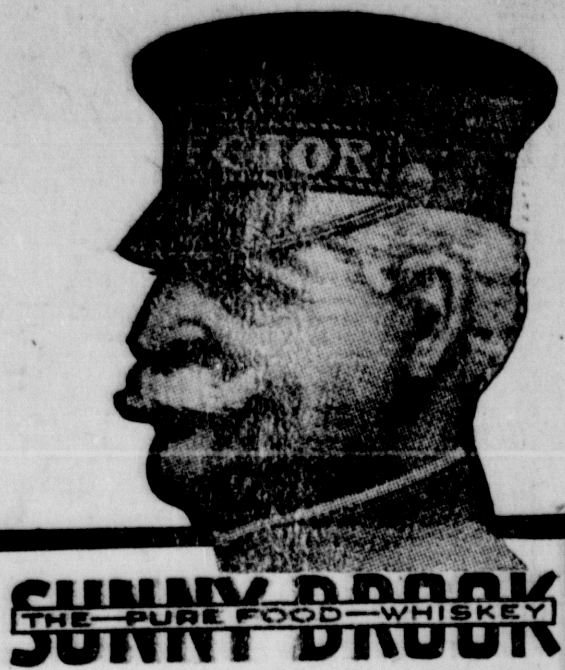
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(S. J. R. No. 18.) Senate Joint Resolution.

To be entitled a Joint Resolution proposing and submitting to a vote of the people of Texas an amendment to Sections 49 and 52 of Article 3 of the Constitution, authorizing the issuance of bonds and the levying of a tax to pay the interest and sinking fund on same for public improvements.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Sections 49 and 52 of Article 3 of the Constitution of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows, to-wit:

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(a) The improvement of rivers, creeks and streams to prevent overflows, and to permit of navigation thereof or irrigation therefrom or in aid of such purposes.

(b) The construction and maintenance of pools, lakes, reservoirs, dams, canals and waterways for the purposes of irrigation, drainage or navigation or in aid thereof.

(c) The construction, maintenance and operation of bridges and macadamized, graveled, sandy clay, or clayed sand or paved roads and turnpikes or in aid thereof.

(d) The construction, maintenance and operation of public warehouses or in aid thereof.

Sec. 2. The foregoing amendment to Sections 49 and 52 of Article 3 of the Constitution of Texas shall be submitted to the qualified electors of this State for adoption or rejection at a special election hereby ordered for the third Saturday in July, 1913, the same being the nineteenth day of said month. All voters on this proposed amendment at said election who favor its adoption shall have printed or written on their ballots the following:

For amendment to Sections 49 and 52 of Article 3, of the Constitution, authorizing the issuance of bonds for the University of Texas, Agricultural and Mechanical College, State Penitentiary System, and other public improvements and building of warehouses for agricultural products. Those voting against its adoption shall have written or printed on their ballots the following:

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Previous to the election the Secretary of State shall cause to be printed and forwarded to the County Judge of each county, for use in said election, a sufficient number of ballots for the use of voters in each county on which he shall have printed the form of the ballot herein prescribed, for the convenient use of the voters.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue his necessary proclamation ordering this election, and have same published as required by the Constitution and laws of the State. The sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any fund in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated to defray the expenses of publishing said proclamation and printing of tickets and necessary blanks to use in said election.

JOHN L. WORTHAM,  
Secretary of State.

(A true copy.)

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THIS STATE AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS FOR IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS, AND ALSO FOR THE OPERATION OF PUBLIC WAREHOUSES FOR STORING, HANDLING, CLASSING, MEASURING, WEIGHING, ELEVATING AND LOADING AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS.

(S. J. R. No. 4.) Joint Resolution.

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to Section 52, of Article 3, of the Constitution of this State: Section 1. Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas, that Section 52 of Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 52. The Legislature shall have no power to authorize any county, city, town or other political corporation or subdivision of the State, to lend its credit or to grant public money or thing of value in aid of, or to any individual, association or corporation whatsoever, or to become a stockholder in such corporation, association or company; provided, however, that under legislative provision any county, and political subdivision of a county, any number of adjoining counties, or any political subdivision of the State, or any defined district now or hereafter to be described and defined within the State of Texas, and which may or may not include towns, villages, or municipal corporations, upon a vote of a majority of the resident taxpayers voting thereon, who are qualified electors of such district or territory to be affected thereby, in addition to all other debts may issue bonds or otherwise lend its credit in any amount not to exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of such district or territory, except that the total bonded indebtedness of any city or town shall never exceed the limits imposed by other provisions of this Constitution, and levy and collect taxes to pay the interest thereon, and provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof, as the Legislature may authorize, and in such manner as it may authorize the same, for the following purposes, to-wit:

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Sec. 2. The Governor is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for submitting this amendment to the Constitution to the qualified electors of the State of Texas on the third Saturday in July, same being the 19th day of said month, and the amendments proposed to Section 52 of Article 3, as above indicated, shall be voted upon separately.

Those favoring the amendment to authorize road or other public improvements by a majority vote, shall have written or printed on their ballot: For amendment to authorize road and other public improvements by a vote of a majority, and those opposed to said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballot: Against amendment to authorize road and other public improvements by a vote of a majority.

Those favoring the issuance of bonds for the construction of public warehouses shall have written or printed on their ballot: For the amendment authorizing the issuance of bonds for the construction of public warehouses for agricultural products. Those voting against said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballot: Against the amendment authorizing the issuance of bonds for the construction of public warehouses for agricultural products.

Sec. 3. The sum of five thousand

(\$5,000) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication, proclamation and election.

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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION PRESCRIBING QUALIFICATIONS FOR DISTRICT JUDGES OF THIS STATE AND PRESCRIBING THEIR TENURE OF OFFICE.

(S. J. R. No. 11.) A Joint Resolution.

Amending Section 7, Article 5, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, relating to the creation and formation of judicial districts, the terms of compensation and qualification of the judges of the district courts, and the times of holding court. Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 7, Article 5, be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 7. The State shall be divided into as many judicial districts as may now or hereafter be provided by law, which may be increased or diminished by law. For each district there shall be elected by the qualified voters thereof, at a general election, one or more judges, each of whom shall be a citizen of the United States and of this State, who shall have been a practicing lawyer of this State, or a judge of a court in this State for six years next preceding his election; who shall have resided in the district in which he was elected for two years next preceding his election; who shall reside in his district during his term of office; who shall hold his office for a period of four years, and shall receive for his services an annual salary of three thousand dollars, until otherwise changed by law. Court shall be held by a district judge at the county seat in each of the several counties at such times and in such manner as may be prescribed by law. The Legislature shall provide for the holding of the district court when the judge thereof is absent, disabled or disqualified from acting. The district judges who may be in office when this amendment takes effect shall hold their offices until their respective terms shall expire under their present election or appointment.

Sec. 2. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue necessary proclamation for the submission of this amendment to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at an election to be held on the 19th day of July, 1913, at which election all voters favoring this amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "For the amendment of Section 7, Article 5, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, relating to district judges and district courts," and all voters opposed to said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "Against the amendment of Section 7, Article 5, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, relating to district judges and district courts."

Sec. 3. The sum of five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated to pay expenses for carrying out the provisions of this resolution.

JOHN L. WORTHAM,  
Secretary of State.

(A true copy.)

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION PROVIDING ALL STATE, DISTRICT, COUNTY AND PRECINCT OFFICERS WITHIN THIS STATE SHALL BE COMPENSATED BY THE PAYMENT OF A FIXED SALARY.

(H. J. R. No. 41.) A Joint Resolution.

Of the Legislature of the State of Texas, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State by adding to Article 16 thereof a new section to be known as Section 58, providing for the tenure and compensation of public officials.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That there be added to Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas a new section to be known as Section 58, which shall read as follows:

Section 58. All State, district, county and precinct officers within the State of Texas shall hereinafter be compensated by the payment of a salary to be fixed or provided for by the Legislature.

Sec. 2. The Governor of this State will, as directed by the Constitution, make publication of this proposed amendment in the manner and for the time as required by the Constitution, the amendment to be voted upon by the qualified electors for members of the Legislature of this State at the general election to be held for State officers on July 19, 1913, the returns of which shall, as provided for in the Constitution, be made to the Secretary of State, the result ascertained and proclamation made as provided for in Section 1, Article 17, of the Constitution. There shall be written or printed on the ballots to be used at such election "for the adoption of Section 58, Article 16, as an amendment to the Constitution, providing a salary compensation for certain officers and fixing term of office at four years;" and also "against the adoption of Section 58, Article 16, as an amendment to the Constitution, providing a salary compensation for cer-

tain officers and fixing their term of office at four years," by running a pencil or pen through the same, and those opposing the adoption of said amendment shall erase the language "for the adoption of Section 58, Article 16, as an amendment to the Constitution, providing a salary compensation for certain officers and fixing their term of office at four years," by running a pencil or pen through the same.

Sec. 3. The sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated to pay the expenses of carrying out the provisions of this resolution.

JOHN L. WORTHAM,  
Secretary of State.

(A true copy.)

### DANGER FROM GRIPPE

Lies in That Cough and Weak, Worn-out Condition.

Grippe, pleurisy, pneumonia, these are greatly to be feared at this time of the year.

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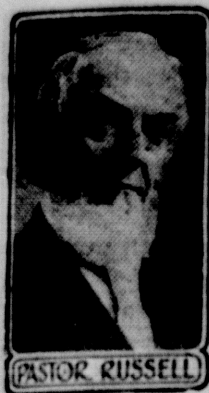
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**Why Should God's Ministers Preach and Entreat While Earthly Rulers Command?—In the Coming Age of Messiah's Kingdom It Will Be Different. The Law Shall Go Forth and the Transgressor Shall Receive Corrective Punishment, Says Pastor Russell.**



the True Gospel, acknowledging that humanity has come justly under a penalty or curse of death, sets before the penitent a glorious hope. It declares, as Jesus did, that the time is coming when the curse shall be re-

—Isaiah xxxv. 8, 9.  
 Faithfulness will bring the Divine reward of freedom from weakness, and increase of strength—mental, moral, physical. Day by day the well-walking on the Highway of Holiness.

is day; and let us not be surprised at the preaching of this Message shall bring odium, as it did upon the Master and the Apostles. "The world knows not, even as it knew Him not; and the world will not receive His Message, for all that, will accomplish its purpose. He will find the "culler people" whom He seeks; not member of the foreordained number will be lacking. They will all be saved and holy. As Messiah's associates in the Kingdom, they will then share the decree." (Psalm II, 7-5)

Law will go forth, and chastisement will follow to enforce the Law, and all shall be brought to a knowledge of the Truth, the incorrigible defied, and every knee shall bow and everyone confess, to the glory of God.

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## PERSONALS

J. G. Newton was a passenger east Monday.

Fancy box candies at all prices at Hutzler's.

F. M. Posey spent Sunday in the Alamo City.

Rev. Father Myers was a passenger east yesterday.

Miss Vera Jones was home from Sabinal Sunday.

Prof. A. F. Serafine has gone to his home in Del Rio.

C. W. Grell was a passenger to San Antonio Monday.

Mrs. Horace Bradley spent the week in the Alamo City.

All kinds of fresh fruits in season at Hutzler's confectionery.

Mrs. P. Jungman Jr. was a visitor to the Alamo City Monday.

Mrs. A. J. Swearingen was a visitor to San Marcos this week.

For Talcum Powder of every kind, come to Windrow's drug store.

C. F. Luckenbach was over from D'Hanis Thursday on business.

Delicious Drinks served every day at Mrs. Hutzler's Soda Fountain.

See E. R. Leinweber when you need a new hack or buggy. He has it.

If you want a good serviceable hack or buggy call on E. R. Leinweber.

All kinds of cold drinks served every day at F. A. Heyen's confectionery.

Have that old hat made new at S. G. Carter's, the Tailor. 37-tf.

Fresh candy, cakes, nuts, canned goods, etc. at Heyen's confectionery.

New stock of fine toilet soaps for 5c to 25c a cake at Windrow's drug store.

H. G. Henderson and Geo. W. Cameron were passengers east yesterday.

For a good cigar and smoking and chewing tobacco call on F. A. Heyen.

Judge B. Brucks and daughter, Mrs. Ida Bischoff, were here yesterday from Dunlay.

Ferd. Kilhorn Jr. and family visited Biry and Devine on business and pleasure this week.

Miss Ora Wood, one of the High School teachers, left Thursday for her home at Gonzales.

The Oakland fleet of six autos is coming, watch for them. H. E. Haass, agent, Hondo, Texas.

When you want a Ball, Bat, Glove or anything in Base Ball Goods come to Windrow's Drugstore.

Miss Mildred Johnson, one of the High School teachers, left Thursday for her home at Sabinal.

L. W. Burell, C. L. Marty and Charlie Brown were here Thursday on business before the district court.

Messrs. John T. Briscoe and Mack Kercheville of Devine were among the visiting attorneys here this week.

A marriage license was issued Saturday to Paul Ehlinger and Miss Hilda Kempf, two young people of Devine.

The trustee election for Hondo Independent School district will be held today. Vote for the interests of your school.

R. J. Noonan, Esq., spent several days here this week on professional business, returning to San Antonio Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Short were down from Bandera the first of the week. Mrs. Short left for Missouri on a visit to relatives.

Mrs. E. R. Middleton left Thursday for her home at Winters after a pleasant visit to her parents, Rev. and Mrs. M. K. Fred.

Mrs. Clyde Stone came down from Spofford Tuesday and spent the week with the family of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stone.

The town has been thronged with visitors to court and to the other various social events of the week and personal mention of all would be an impossible task.

Yesterday was a great day in Catholic circles at Castroville. Rt. Rev. Bishop J. W. Shaw visited the parish and administered the rite of confirmation to 106 children.

I am agent for the J. I. Case Thrashing Machinery, Traction Engines and Automobiles. See me for demonstrations of machines and prices on the same. Eugen Huesser.

Civil Engineers started in Monday morning surveying the railroad track and making preliminary plans for a six inch raise in the track from the Hondo Creek west. This work has already been completed east of the creek.

Brakeman G. A. Austin was struck by the oil spout at the oil tank just west of town while switching cars about 12:15 o'clock Thursday afternoon and was knocked from the train and stunned. He was taken to the hospital in San Antonio and it is thought will be out in a few days.

Investigate the OAKLAND autos, as good as any, better than many. Six, from \$1000 to \$2400; the 35 five-cylinder touring at \$1275 in San Antonio. The 42 five-passenger touring at \$1400. Liberal discount on first cars Medina county, H. E. Haass, Hondo, Texas.

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Be sure you get Dodson's Liver Tonic when you ask for it. There are imitations of it that may disappoint you.

Dr. B. B. Liles was up from Yancey Thursday.

R. E. Bohmfalk was a business caller at this office Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harm Frerichs visited San Antonio Sunday.

Joe Reily was here from Sabinal this week attending court.

Dr. B. R. Bradley was a visitor to San Antonio Thursday.

Miss Elsie Rothe visited her sister, Mrs. Felix Batot, here this week.

J. A. Horger and C. W. Roberts were passengers east yesterday.

Dr. and Mrs. R. P. Thomas were Sunday visitors to the Alamo City.

No car ever went where a Buick can't go. C. R. Gaines, dealer. 2t.

Judge W. D. Love came down from Uvalde Monday to attend district court.

Ferd. Nester and Paul Reinhart were business callers at this office Monday.

C. J. Monkhouse and Mr. Starnes visited San Antonio the first of the week.

Miss Kittie Hoover is here from Cline this week visiting Mrs. J. N. Dowdy.

Commissioner Aug. Tschirhart was here yesterday from Castroville on business.

Miss Addah Gibbons, one of the Hondo teachers, left yesterday for her home in Bandera.

Andrew Nehr and son, Robert, of Biry were pleasant callers at this office Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jones, Mrs. H. S. Kirby and Mrs. J. N. Dowdy autoed to Sabinal Thursday evening.

Roland Moore is carrying his arm in a sling from a fracture sustained while trying to crank an automobile Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Schmidt and E. G. Garwood went down to San Antonio Wednesday and brought out Mr. Schmidt's new Studebaker car.

Louis Ellebraecht and two daughters, Misses Amelia and Velasca, are here from Noxville on a visit to Mr. Ellebraecht's sister, Mrs. F. J. Leinweber.

Aug. Schmidt was up from Biry Monday and paid this office a business call. He informed us that there will be a grand dance at the Biry Hall Saturday night, May 10th.

We were glad to see B. H. Robinson able to be out this week. Mr. Robinson had been confined to his room for some two weeks on account of injuries sustained by a fall from a ladder.

The dinner given by the ladies of the Presbyterian church at the Ward building was well patronized and netted the church the neat sum of \$76.25. All who patronized the dinner were well pleased with the delicious repast.

Attention is called to the announcement of the Hondo Summer Normal appearing elsewhere in this issue. The Normal opens June 9th and closes July 31st. Teachers attending the same will have the opportunity to take both examinations if they so desire.

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Miss Emma Muennink was home from San Antonio Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Jungman were Castroville visitors Sunday.

Miss Emma Miller has returned from a visit to San Antonio.

Prof. and Mrs. A. W. Myers were here Saturday from Dunlay.

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